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**Bv ECF** 

Honorable Jesse M. Furman United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: <u>United States v. Eli Dana</u> 14 Cr. 405 (JMF)

Dear Judge Furman,

Application GRANTED. Mr. Dana is permitted to attend the meeting with Defense counsel on June 8, 2020, at the Federal Defender's office; and may meet with counsel going forward with permission of Probation. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate Doc. #119.

June 5, 2020

On March 31, 2020, the Court granted Mr. Dana's unopposed motion for compassionate release, and imposed a sentence of time served, and supervised release, with five months of home incarceration. See Dkt. No. 108.

I asked Probation to approve Mr. Dana attending a meeting with undersigned counsel on Monday, June 8, 2020 at the Federal Defender office and was told that while Probation has no objection, legal visits were not included as an exception to home incarceration in the Court's original order. Therefore, I am writing to request that the Court (1) approve Monday's meeting and (2) authorize the Department of Probation to approve any future legal meetings without Court intervention.

The government, by Assistant United States Attorney Matthew Hellman, has no objection to these requests.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Sylvie Levine Counsel for Eli Dana

cc: A.U.S.A. Matthew Hellman Officer Christina Borque